

**Motions for the May 3, 2010 Annual Town Meeting
Session 2 – May 5, 2010**

ARTICLE 9: Community Services:

I move that the Town raise and appropriate \$1,474,725 for Community Services.

General Government:

I move that the Town appropriate \$6,037,195 for General Government, that the salary of the Moderator be fixed at \$100, that of the Select Board at \$300 each, that of the Elector under the Oliver Smith Will at \$20, and that to meet such appropriation \$5,939,379 be raised by taxation and \$97,816 be transferred from the Ambulance Receipts Reserved For Appropriation Account.

Debt Service:

I move that the Town appropriate \$1,376,755 for payment of the Town's General Fund indebtedness, and to meet such appropriation \$1,265,500 be raised by taxation, \$66,411 be appropriated and transferred from Community Preservation Fund annual revenues, and \$44,844 be appropriated from Wildwood School Roof Reserved for Debt Service Account.

Library Services:

I move that the Town raise and appropriate \$1,541,736 for the Town share of the Library budget.

Elementary Schools:

I move that the Town raise and appropriate \$20,407,534 for the Amherst Elementary Schools.

Regional Schools:

I move that the Town approve the Amherst-Pelham Regional School District operating and capital budget of \$27,962,907 and that the Town raise and appropriate \$13,112,795 as its share of that budget.

Water Fund:

I move that the Town appropriate \$3,791,975 for the Water Fund and that to meet such appropriation \$3,646,351 be made available from Water Fund revenues of the current year and \$145,624 be transferred from Water Fund Surplus.

Sewer Fund:

I move that the Town appropriate \$3,425,726 for the Sewer Fund and that to meet such appropriation \$3,176,809 be made available from Sewer Fund revenues of the current year and \$248,917 be transferred from Sewer Fund Surplus.

Solid Waste Fund:

I move that the Town appropriate \$532,274 for the Solid Waste Fund and that to meet such appropriation \$495,575 be made available from Solid Waste Fund

revenues of the current year and \$36,699 be transferred from Solid Waste Fund Surplus.

Transportation Fund:

I move that the Town appropriate \$874,051 for the Transportation Fund and that to meet such appropriation \$818,218 be made available from Transportation Fund revenues of the current year and \$55,833 be transferred from Transportation Fund Surplus.

ARTICLE 10. I move in terms of the article.

ARTICLE 11. I move that the Town authorize the sum of \$538,000 for the expenditure of Chapter 90 funds for qualifying purposes and further authorize the Treasurer to borrow in anticipation of reimbursement of these funds from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

ARTICLE 12. I move that the Town raise and appropriate \$865,300 to purchase, repair, and/or install new or replacement equipment, and to meet such appropriation, \$675,300 be raised by taxation, and \$190,000 be transferred from the Ambulance Receipts Reserved for Appropriation Account.

ARTICLE 13. I move that the Town appropriate \$602,500 to repair and/or improve buildings and facilities, and to meet such appropriation, \$544,835 be raised by taxation, \$8,800 be transferred from Article 34H of the 2004 Annual Town Meeting (North Amherst School HVAC), \$18,695 be transferred from Article 34 of the 2006 Annual Town Meeting (East Street School Handicapped Access), \$15,000 be transferred from Article 31 of the 2007 Annual Town Meeting (East Street School), \$10,000 be transferred from Article 31 of the 2007 Annual Town Meeting (Marks Meadow HVAC Modifications), \$4,778 be transferred from Article 22K of the 2008 Annual Town Meeting (Actuarial Valuation), and \$392 be transferred from Article 16 of the 2009 Annual Town Meeting (East Street School Locks).

ARTICLE 14. I move that the sum of \$180,000 is hereby appropriated to pay costs of roof repairs and other extraordinary repairs to the South Amherst School building, including the payment of any and all costs incidental and related thereto, and that to meet this appropriation, the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to borrow said sum under and pursuant to Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or pursuant to any other enabling authority, and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor.